

Briefing Card

Championship Medal Day

1. Welcome
2. Scoring System
"A Fleet" software which records the finishing places called by the Line Official (who is...)
If less than 14 entries:
 - One fleet, with a two-minute countdown.
 - "A Fleet" software with one drop after four races, two drops after 8 races and three after 16 races.**If 14 or more entries:**
 - Two heats with a "Two up / Two down" system
 - One-minute countdown
 - A non-counting Seeding Race with two heats
 - Then Race 1 with skippers ranked from the Seeding Heats: Silver Heat first, for the top two yachts to be promoted to the Gold Heat.
 - The skippers and sail numbers for each Heat will be on the **Magnetic Fleet Board**
3. I will call the races and starts – sail numbers of boats over the line, or if too many then General Recall.
4. [Name: Line official] will call **boat to boat contact**, or **boat with mark**, and **record boats over the line and not returning**, and **will record the sail numbers of yachts that do not respond to the calls**.
5. When skippers approach an incident, they can only...
 - a. call their sail number and the number of the other yacht and warn of the impending collision.
 - b. If the other yacht does not respond, **steer around** and avoid the collision and then
 - c. call "*your number* protests the *other yacht's number*". Repeat this call.
 - d. **Absolutely NO names, swear words or argument please.**
 - e. I have the option to award a two turn penalty for such behaviour
 - f. After contact, one yacht must do a penalty or call a protest.
 - g. I will call skippers with protests, or skippers who have not resolved incidents, to decide the placings after the race.
6. The course is on the Sailing Instructions Whiteboard.
7. The Control Area is from to
8. **Medals for today: Gold, Silver, Bronze 1st, 2nd, 3rd overall and Blue "Boat to Beat" Medals 5th, 10th, 15th, etc.**
9. There will be xxxx races before a **toilet / tuning / brainfood** break. **Please use the public toilets** – we will allow time. Then lunch at yyyy. Finishing at 3.00 pm.
10. Boat drivers are (xxxx and yyyy). They can race but are designated for yacht rescue.
11. The Membership Contacts list is in the trailer for race management teams to look up ahead of their day
12. The First Aid kit is in the Trailer and boat crook and life belt are.....
13. The emergency contacts list is in the trailer if we need to let someone know about an accident
14. If an emergency event occurs, I will blow two blasts on my whistle. We meet on the road

NOTES FOR CHANGE:



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Handicap Medal Day

1. Welcome
2. Scoring System
“A Fleet” software which records the finishing places called by the Line Official (who is...)
3. We are using the RYGGED Handicapping system
Four Divisions: **Red**, start first, then **Yellow**, then **Green** and finally **Blue**
4. The RYGGED countdown memory stick, “**H/cap 200s**” gives
 - 60 seconds countdown to **Red Start**
 - I will announce “**Reds Away**”
 - Recording then counts from zero every 5 seconds
 - At 40 seconds, I will announce “20 seconds to **Yellow Start**”
 - At 60 seconds, I will announce “**Yellows Away**”
 - At 100 seconds, I will announce “20 seconds to **Green Start**”
 - At 120 seconds, I will announce “**Greens Away**”
 - At 160 seconds, I will announce “20 seconds to **Blue Start**”
 - At 180 seconds, I will announce “**Blues Away**”
15. I will call the races and starts – sail numbers of boats over the line, or if too many then General Recall.
16. [Name: Line official] will call **boat to boat contact**, or **boat with mark**, and **record boats over the line and not returning**, and **will record the sail numbers of yachts that do not respond to the calls**.
5. When skippers approach an incident, they can only...
 - h. call their sail number and the number of the other yacht and warn of the impending collision.
 - i. If the other yacht does not respond, **steer around** and avoid the collision and then
 - j. call “*your number* protests the *other yacht’s number*”. Repeat this call.
 - k. **Absolutely NO names, swear words or argument are needed.**
 - l. I have the option to award a two turn penalty for such behaviour
 - m. After contact, one yacht must do a penalty or call a protest.
 - n. I will call skippers with protests, or skippers who have not resolved incidents, to decide the placings after the race.
6. The course is on the Sailing Instructions Whiteboard.
7. The Control Area is from to
8. **Medals for today: Gold, Silver, Bronze 1st, 2nd, 3rd overall and “Division Medals”**
1st Red, 1st Yellow, 1st Green, 1st Blue.
9. There will be xxxx races before a **toilet / tuning / brainfood** break. **Please use the public toilets** – we will allow time. Then lunch at yyyy. Finishing at 3.00 pm.
10. Boat drivers are (xxxx and yyyy). They can race but are designated for yacht rescue.
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